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Art Unit	2815
Examiner Name	M.C. Landau
Attorney Docket Number	LMPY-8410

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In the Matter of the Application of: Juergen Baumlér  
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